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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)

Kunio SHIMIZU et al.)

) Group Art Unit: 1772

Application No.: 09/900,961)

) Examiner: Sow Fun Hon

Filed: July 10, 2001)

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Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Applicants hereby petition for a two month extension of time to reply to the Office
Action of August 26, 2003. A fee of \$420.00 is enclosed.

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge
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